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**JOINT GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS COMMITTEE  
SELF-SUFFICIENCY HEARING**

**AS REQUIRED BY T.C.A. 4-29-121**

**JANUARY 31, 2022 1:00 PM  
HOUSE HEARING ROOM I**

- I. Call to Order and Introductions**
- II. ENTITIES OR FUNCTIONS ATTACHED TO THE DIVISION OF HEALTH-RELATED BOARDS**

**Education, Health, and General Welfare Joint Evaluation Committee:**

**1. Board of Dentistry**

**A. Presentation by Brent Culberson, Assistant Commissioner for Legislative Affairs; Jennifer Putnam, Assistant Commissioner for Health licensure and Regulation; Alicia Grice, Fiscal Director for Health Licensure and Regulation; Robert Caldwell, Vice President of Board of Dentistry**

**B. Public comment**

**C. Subcommittee action as appropriate**

**No vote or other action is required by Statute for this hearing.  
Legislation has been filed if needed.**

**2. Board of Occupational Therapy**

**A. Presentation by Brent Culberson, Assistant Commissioner for Legislative Affairs; Jennifer Putnam, Assistant Commissioner for Health licensure and Regulation; Alicia Grice, Fiscal Director for Health Licensure and Regulation; Amanda Newbern, Board Chair**

**B. Public Comment**

**C. Subcommittee action as appropriate**

**No vote or other action is required by Statute for this hearing.  
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**3. Board of Optometry**

**A. Presentation by Brent Culberson, Assistant Commissioner for Legislative Affairs; Jennifer Putnam, Assistant Commissioner for Health licensure and Regulation; Alicia Grice, Fiscal Director for Health Licensure and Regulation; Kenneth Young, Board Chair**

**B. Public Comment**

**C. Subcommittee action as appropriate**

**No vote or other action is required by Statute for this hearing.  
Legislation has been filed if needed.**

**4. Board of X-ray Technicians**

**A. Presentation by Brent Culberson, Assistant Commissioner for Legislative Affairs; Jennifer Putnam, Assistant Commissioner for Health licensure and Regulation; Alicia Grice, Fiscal Director for Health Licensure and Regulation; Karen Munyon, Board Chair**

**B. Public Comment**

**C. Subcommittee action as appropriate**

**No vote or other action is required by Statute for this hearing.  
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**5. Electrolysis Registry**

**A. Presentation by Presentation by Brent Culberson, Assistant Commissioner for Legislative Affairs; Jennifer Putnam, Assistant Commissioner for Health licensure and Regulation; Alicia Grice, Fiscal Director for Health Licensure and Regulation**

**B. Public Comment**

**C. Subcommittee action as appropriate**

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**6. Reflexology Registry**

**A. Presentation by Presentation by Brent Culberson, Assistant Commissioner for Legislative Affairs; Jennifer Putnam, Assistant Commissioner for Health licensure and Regulation; Alicia Grice, Fiscal Director for Health Licensure and Regulation**

**B. Public Comment**

- C. Subcommittee action as appropriate  
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### **III. ENTITIES OR FUNCTIONS ATTACHED TO THE DIVISION OF PROFESSIONAL REGULATORY BOARDS**

#### **Commerce, Labor, Transportation, and Agriculture Joint Evaluation Committee:**

##### **1. Credit Services Businesses**

- A. Presentation by Alex Martin, Assistant Commissioner for Regulatory Boards; Roxana Gumucio, Executive Director of Credit Services Businesses
- B. Public comment
- C. Subcommittee action as appropriate  
No vote or other action is required by Statute for this hearing.  
Legislation has been filed if needed.

##### **2. Limited License Plumbers and Electricians**

- A. Presentation by Alex Martin, Assistant Commissioner for Regulatory Boards; Carolyn Lazenby, Executive Director of Credit Services Businesses
- B. Public comment
- C. Subcommittee action as appropriate  
No vote or other action is required by Statute for this hearing.  
Legislation has been filed if needed.

##### **3. Private Probation**

- A. Presentation by Alex Martin, Assistant Commissioner for Regulatory Boards; Roxana Gumucio, Executive Director of Private Probation
- B. Public Comment
- C. Subcommittee action as appropriate  
No vote or other action is required by statute for this hearing.  
Legislation has been filed if needed.

##### **4. Scrap Metal**

- A. Presentation by Alex Martin, Assistant Commissioner for Regulatory Boards; Roxana Gumucio, Executive Director of Scrap Metal
- B. Public Comment
- C. Subcommittee action as appropriate  
No vote or other action is required by statute for this hearing.  
Legislation has been filed if needed.